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THE CRIMINAL LIBEL SUIT.

The Cross-examination of Mayor Grant by Mr. Davie Concluded—The Close of the Case for the Prosecution—Defendants Probably to be Sent up for Trial.

On the opening of the criminal libel case brought by his Worship Mayor Grant against the proprietors of THE COLONIST, the Mayor again took the stand, and his cross-examination by Mr. Davie was resumed:—

Mr. Davie—The present is the first year you have filled the position of Mayor?

Witness—Yes!

Mr. Davie—Before this you were a member of the council, were you not?

Witness—Yes, for three years.

Mr. Davie—That is before the present term?

Witness—Yes. During a part of that time I was chairman of the finance committee, in 1886 and 1887. I remember a resolution of the council, dated January 26th, 1887, moved by Ald. Pearse and seconded by Ald. Braden, that the finance committee be authorized to employ two competent auditors. I was chairman of the finance committee at that time.

Mr. Davie—Did you act on that resolution?

Witness—The finance committee have no power to take any action unless they are authorized by the council.

Mr. Davie—Will you answer my question?

Witness—If you will show me the resolution I can tell you.

Mr. Davie—I'll show it to you in the *Times'* report.

Mr. Mills—I object to the newspaper being brought into the case. Don't look at it, Mr. Grant.

Witness—There is one thing I will say about newspapers. You never can expect to get a full report of what is said, or a true report of any meeting in any newspaper.

Mr. Davie read an extract from a *Times* report in reference to the matter, which the witness pronounced "about what transpired on that occasion."

Mr. Davie—That resolution authorized the committee of which you were chairman to employ competent auditors. Was that carried out?

Witness—No, sir. It was not carried out by me, as it was illegal. In the first place, we had a regularly authorized auditor and it was ruled illegal by the council.

Mr. Davie—On the 3rd of March did Coun. Braden move that $1,000 be devoted to an audit of the books?

Witness—I cannot remember the exact date. You can hardly expect me to.

Mr. Davie—Do you remember the resolution?

Witness—Yes.

Mr. Davie—Did you oppose it?

Witness—I did, and I will tell you why. In the first place the council had no legal authority to do anything of the kind. In the second place we had a regularly appointed auditor, appointed as authorized by the statutes, and to appoint another auditor was beyond our power. The third reason was in my mind a very important one. No special charge had been made after the regular auditor's report had been presented, and so I objected to any special expenditure being incurred.

Mr. Davie—I think you also objected to the proposed audit on the ground that it was not necessary?

Witness—I believed it to be unnecessary as we already had an auditor appointed.

Mr. Davie—Did you not state at that time that the books were properly kept?

Witness—I may have said that the books were well kept as far as I saw them. It was not my duty to inspect the books. I believe I did say that the books as far as I had seen them were well kept and properly audited. I had looked at the books but made no critical examination. My remarks were made simply from a cursory view of the books and from the report of the auditor that the council had kept in the position for several years. I looked at the books and saw that they were well kept, according to a system recommended by Mr. Bales some time before. It was not to be expected that I should examine every item in the books. I did not look at the books very frequently. It was not a part of my duty. I have looked at the books to see that they were properly balanced up at the end of the year. As a member of the finance committee I was, of course, most interested in the matter of expenditure. That was the particular part of the books that I looked at. It was not my business to inspect the cash book. It was open to my inspection at any time if I wanted to look at it. In my capacity of mayor I am ex-officio member of all committees. I have not, since I have been mayor, given the books a much more critical examination than before, for the reason that we always had an auditor, and I relied on him for a proper check since I have been mayor. As I said before, I never made an examination of the books. It could not be an examination of the books unless it was critical, and I never examined the books critically. I could not say whether they were correct or not. When I was chairman of the finance committee I looked at the books to see how much of our yearly revenue had been expended. I can't say how often I looked at the books. It might have been a dozen or twenty times. (To Mr. Davie)—What you're driving at is simply this: I asked Mr. Russell and the auditor to check each other, the duty of the auditor was to report to the council, through the finance committee, on the condition of the books, four times each year. For the purpose of keeping a better check on the expenditure I have asked Mr. Russell, and sometimes the auditor, to give interim reports; which was done. During the interval between the reports we would look at the books to see how we were getting on with our expenditure. This was the information upon which I said that as far as I could see the books were correct. From that and the report of the auditor. Since I have been Mayor I have done nothing more in that line. I have done a great deal more, but not in the way of looking into the books. It was a part of my duty to warn the council against exceeding the revenue for the year. To see that the expenditure did not exceed the revenue.

At this stage of the proceedings the counsel for the defence asked to be allowed to refer to a certain page of the deposition, and the witness objected. Said he—"Don't you think, your honor, I have as good a right to see my evidence as Mr. Davie? He objected to my seeing it the other day, and I don't think he should be allowed——

Mr. Mills—You shall have it read to you in full Mr. Grant.

His Honor wanted to be informed what was to be proved by the line of questioning adopted in the cross-examination. He could not see its use.

Mr. Davie explained that he was not going beyond his power to rebut the malice charged to be contained in the articles, not in the main libel, put in by the prosecution. He only wanted to see

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CABLE NEWS.

Gladstone Visits Birmingham and is Received by the People with Great Enthusiasm.

He Refers to the Sackville Incident as a Serious Slight Cast Upon England.

Fatal Collision at Sea—Twenty-two Lives Lost—The Czar Thanks God for His Escape.

The Sackville Incident Discussed by the Cabinet.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—It is an undeniable fact that the cabinet to-day devoted most of the time consumed by its meeting to the discussion of the Sackville incident, despite the presistent denials of the attaches of the foreign office that the affair was even mentioned. Previous to the meeting it is learned that Lord Salisbury conferred with prominent officials and experts in the various departments, with a view of obtaining data of most important President's touching upon the dismissed minister, and he also received despatches by special messenger from the minister in attendance upon the Queen at Balmoral with reference to the matter. Later in the afternoon there were persistent rumors in the neighborhood of the foreign office that the cabinet has decided to leave the Washington legation in the hands of a *charge d'affairs* for at least a year, but none of the reports could be traced to any reliable authority. It is more than likely, however, that a new minister will be appointed shortly after the reassembling of parliament. Mr. Gladstone's references to the Sackville affair, in his speech at Birmingham to-day, were wholly unexpected, and even were they not noticeably colored, his friends would have preferred that he should not have made them. His remarks will possibly be misrepresented or misinterpreted in America, and will certainly enable the Tories to complain that the ex-premier has endeavored to embarrass the government in foreign relations of a most delicate nature.

A Free-Spoken Press.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—A Berlin special to the *Times* says the replies of the liberal press to the recent address of the Emperor to the municipal delegation, are couched in a spirit of freedom and boldness which has probably never before, or at least not for a long time, been displayed in the criticism of any act of a King of Prussia or German Emperor. *Vousische Zeitung* maintains that the press of Berlin ought to oppose with the full weight of truth, the assumption that an intimacy exists between the liberal press and the municipal authorities. The *Tagblatt* argues that the Emperor employs middlemen to follow the journals as he has not time. These men are liable to err on the community of sentiments between writers and readers. We shall continue to render unto the Emperor the things that are the Emperor's, and unto free constitution what belongs to it. Non-liberal papers do not comment on the subject. The *Post* remarks that the "Reichsvanzueger" commemoration is another proof that the loss of truth is not less especially characteristic of Emperor William than of his grandfather.

Gladstone at Birmingham.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Gladstone arrived at Birmingham to-day, where he will remain until Friday. He was received with great enthusiasm. He was driven to the town-hall in a carriage driven by four horses. A great crowd met him, and numerous deputations presented him with speeches. Gladstone said in an address that the addresses recognized the fact that the Irish question was really an English, Scotch, and Welch question, and that until that question was settled the country could neither know peace nor progress. He said that the efforts to solve the fisheries question with the United States had been egregious failures. The liberals did not wish to increase the difficulties of settlement, but they were desirous that by a judicious choice of persons and suggestions of measures the question should be settled in a manner tending to draw both countries into closer relations. The Sackville matter, he said, was unfortunate. It resulted in the infliction of a serious slight and disparagement upon England. He hoped the matter was capable of a satisfactory explanation. The incident ought to moderate the vaunting and bragging of the tories.

The Recent Collision.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Capt. Bjonnes, of the Norwegian barque "Nor," from New York to Stettin, which was in collision with and sank the steamer Saxmundham off Cowes, declines the responsibility for the accident. He claims that the Saxmundham ran into the "Nor" while the weather was perfectly clear. The crew of the "Nor" remained on the vessel eight hours after the accident. They then abandoned her. The captain says that his signals of distress were unnoticed by passing steamers. Nothing has been heard of the 22 persons that are missing, and there is little doubt that they went down with the steamer.

Imprisoned and Fined.

PARIS, Nov. 5.—The manager and artist of the paper *La Charge*, who were arrested by the government for publishing cartoons ridiculing the army and glorifying Boulanger, have been convicted, and each sentenced to two months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of 500 francs.

The Campagnac Explosion.

PARIS, Nov. 5.—Very few of the bodies of the miners, victims of the Campagnac coal pit explosion on Saturday, can be identified owing to their fearful mutilation. Subscriptions for the relief of the miners' families have been opened.

Hopes It Will be a Success.

BERLIN, Nov. 5.—The *Post* says that although Germany cannot take part in the coming exhibition at Paris, it hopes that the exhibition may be a success.

The King of Wurtemburg Angry.

NICE, Nov. 5.—The King of Wurtemburg is angry over the newspaper reports about the influence exerted over him by three Americans. He has caused an official denial to be made that his private estate has been involved by his expenses.

The African Question.

BERLIN, Nov. 5.—The *North German Gazette* says no dissensions exist between England and Germany on East African affairs.

Commercial Banquet.

HAMBURG, Nov. 5.—Seven hundred delegates from the chamber of commerce and similar bodies, attended an official reception at the exchange yesterday. After inspecting the port the delegates attended a banquet.

The Czar Thanks God for His Escape.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 5.—The Czar has published a manifesto regarding the railway accident of last Monday. The manifesto says: "We share with the people in their thanks to God for our miraculous escape. May the Providence that protects our life, which is consecrated to the country's welfare, strengthen us to faithfully fulfil to the end the great duties Its will has laid upon us."

PERSONAL.

F. Michelena and wife, and 14 other members of the Abbott Opera Co., are at the Clarence.

W. F. McCulloch and wife and J. R. Davis, of Seattle; F. H. Major, of Montreal; and F. H. Anderson, of San Francisco, are stopping at the Clarence.

H. E. Wines, business agent of the "Chip o' the Old Block" Comedy Company is at the Clarence. It is expected that the well-known comedy will be produced two nights next week in The Victoria, with Harry Mills, R. L. Scott and Miss Jessie Bonstelle as the "stars."

H. Langelier and S. T. Greenleese, Montreal, are at the Driard.

M. M. English arrived down last night from Lulu Island.

G. List, traveling agent of the Dominion Express company, is at the Driard.

H. P. Bell arrived on the Louise last night.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Rumor that Lord Sackville will Visit Lord Stanley at Ottawa.

Sir Adolphe Caron and Hon. Mr. Thompson Having a Pleasant Time in New York—Illness of Sir John Macdonald's Sister—Ottawa Orangemen Celebrate.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 5.—The cock and bull story started by the Toronto *World* about impending cabinet changes is entirely without foundation.

It is rumored that Lord Sackville will arrive here in a few days on a visit to Lord Stanley.

The Ottawa Orangemen celebrated the gun-powder plot by dedicating a fine new hall.

Sir John has been called to Kingston as his sister is said to be dying.

Advices from New York report that Sir Adolphe Caron and Hon. Mr. Thompson are badgered almost to death by reporters and shadowed by detectives, as an Ottawa lying dispatch was sent stating that the two members had gone to give Blaine a hand.

EMMA ABBOTT WELCOMED.

Splendid Rendition of "Il Trovatore"—"The Rose of Castile" to be Given To-Night.

The first appearance of the Emma Abbott Co. in The Victoria last evening did not draw as large a house as anticipated, though parquette, dress circle and gallery were fairly well occupied. There were several reasons for this: Many were afraid of the late arrival of the steamer, the weather was execrable, and the opera given, "Il Trovatore," has been listened to so often that a large number reserved their dollars for the remaining three nights. The box sheet for to-night was pretty well filled yesterday and a bumper house will no doubt be present.

Miss Abbott, on entering the stage as "Leonora," accompanied by Miss Bertina as "Inez," was given a rousing welcome. The trip from Tacoma to Victoria is the reverse of beneficial to a vocalist, but the prima donna acquitted herself most creditably, and the aria in the first act, and her faultless singing in the last act, were received with enthusiasm. Her acting throughout was conscientious and artistic, and especially was this the case in the final act. There can be but one opinion as to the excellence of her vocal efforts. Her voice is sweet and pure, and she has it in admirable control, taking the most difficult notes with remarkable ease and correctness.

Signor Montegriffo has undoubtedly improved since his former appearance. As "Manrico" he had many opportunities to display his delightful tenor, and he did not fail to please his hearers. He was repeatedly applauded, and at the close of the third act was given a rousing recall.

Miss Annandale as "Azucena" displayed the wonderful capabilities of her contralto. In the prison scene her voice blended sweetly with the tenor of "Manrico," while her rendition of "Back to our Mountains" was simply superb.

Wm. Pruette, as "Count di Luna," sang his score in magnificent voice, and in the concerted pieces added much to the harmony. He was well received in his several numbers.

Wm. Broderick's basso did not have much scope to display itself, but sufficiently to prove that he will win many honors when a fair opportunity occurs. The cavatina in the first act he gave in splendid style.

The choruses were finely rendered, especially the anvil chorus.

Miss Abbott wore lovely costumes, and in the third act her neck and shoulders were ablaze with diamonds. The costumes of all were elegant, and in all cases appropriate.

Sig. Tomasi's admirable direction of the orchestra deserves mention, though it was remarked that there was a little too much brass in several of the accompaniments for the little theatre, lessening somewhat the effect of the finer notes of the vocalists.

To-night, for the first time in Victoria, will be given Balfe's romantic opera, "The Rose of Castile," with the silver tenor Michelena in the cast. A bumper house will undoubtedly witness its production. Following is the cast:

Elvira	Miss Emma Abbott
Carmen	Miss Annandale
Beatrice	Miss Bertini
Manuel	Sig. Michelena
Don Pedro	Mr. Broderick
Don Sallust	Mr. Abdill
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WRECK OF A SLOOP.

Seen by the Schooner Eliza Between Seabird and San Juan Islands.

Rough Weather Prevents It Being Brought to Victoria—Supposed to Be a Sloop Which Started From Ross Bay With Two White Men and Eight Chinese and a Large Quantity of Opium—Probable Loss of All Hands.

The schooner Eliza, of New Westminster, Capt. Hett, which arrived last evening with a heavy cargo of oats from Mud Bay, reports sighting an abandoned sloop, evidently of about three tons, at about 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, between Seabird and San Juan Islands. The sloop was drifting northward, stern down and bow up, her jib sheet flying and main sheet fouled. At first she was taken for an Indian canoe or a floating tree, but as the Eliza came nearer her captain clearly saw that what had at first been taken for a floating tree was the sail lying on the water. The first attempt to pick up the sloop failed, but on the second she was captured and taken in tow, Captain Hett intending to bring her in with him to Victoria. The sloop was deep in the water, had no name on her bow, or anywhere else that could be seen. Her bottom was coppered, her decks painted green, and the hull white. Nothing about her would lead to any knowledge of her name or port. Her four oars were drifting in the rowlocks, and her sails were evidently nearly new. The sloop was towed for about three miles, when Capt. Hett, seeing signs of an approaching storm and being heavily loaded, was compelled to drop his prize in order to avail himself of the little wind left and get into port. The sloop will probably drift back to near where she was found with the tide.

LATER.

A smuggling sloop answering to the description of the one found by Capt. Hett sailed from Ross Bay on Wednesday night of last week between midnight and three o'clock. She was in charge of two white men, said to be residents of Victoria, who were driven out to Ross Bay a about twelve o'clock by one of the city hackmen, who also conveyed several large parcels which were supposed to contain opium, from the city to the sloop. The hackman describes his passengers as two middle aged men, one rather short the other about medium height, wearing dark overcoats and soft felt hats. Owing to the darkness he could not describe them more fully. In addition to the supply of opium, several hundred pounds, which they proposed to land in the United States, the men in charge of the sloop also appear to have had eight or ten Chinamen on board, to be smuggled across the line. If the sloop proves to be the same one, as she doubtless will, the bodies of all will not likely ever be found. The Chinamen were in the hold on the night the sloop sailed and their bodies may possibly be found there. No tidings of the sloop have been received in Victoria since she set sail, and it is generally believed that she met her fate during one of the stormy nights of last week.

MARINE.

Steamship Queen of the Pacific arrived from San Francisco on Sunday evening, and left for Puget Sound at 2 a. m. on Monday.

Ship W. A. Campbell, Capt. Frank, has completed her cargo of lumber at the Moodyville mill and will sail as soon as her crew is completed.

British bark Ethelbert, from Liverpool for this port, was spoken on Aug. 18th in latitude 28 S., longitude 46 W.

British ship Gitana, for Victoria, was in port at Glasgow on the 20th October.

Steamer Batavia arrived at Yokohama from Vancouver on Oct. 27th.

British ship Gainsborough, from Moodyville, arrived at Melbourne previous to Oct. 29th.

Bark Pacific Slope, lumber laden from Moodyville for Australia, arrived in Esquimal on Sunday night.

There are six ships in Tacoma awaiting to load wheat for European points. Wheat is arriving slowly owing to the inability of the railroads to handle it. Coal and lumber laden vessels are delayed for the want of tugs.

Steamship Abyssinia arrived off the harbor on Saturday evening from China and Japan. She took Pilot Urquhart on board and passed on to Vancouver, arriving there at 2:30 a.m. on Sunday. She has a valuable cargo of teas and silks, about 30 white passengers and 64 Chinese.

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TO-DAY'S ELECTION.

The election for President of the United States is going on to-day. The campaign has been has been an unusually quiet one and the contest has been uncommonly free from personal issues. It has been a campaign of principle, and the reason of the people rather than their feelings or their prejudices has been appealed to. The trade policy of the United States for a number of years to come hangs upon the issue of to-day's election. If Mr. Cleveland is elected a more liberal trade policy than has obtained for many years will be adopted. If General Harrison is elected the policy of high protection will be continued. Canadians naturally wish well to the party whose foreign trade policy promises to be the most liberal. Previous to his message on retaliation and his ungenerous and uncivil treatment of the representative of Great Britain for what was a by no means grave indiscretion, Mr. Cleveland was extremely popular in Canada, and it is only the conviction that he was driven to the course he pursued by the violence of his opponents that prevents their desiring his defeat. But, notwithstanding these mistakes, he has been a good and wise President and he deserves to succeed to-day. We hope he may.

HONEST DOUBT.

A respected correspondent reproaches us with recommending scepticism with respect to Spiritualism and the pretensions of persons calling themselves Spiritualists. He asks what is scepticism? His answer is, "Ignorance." Under submission, we take exception to his definition. Scepticism is, in our opinion, not ignorance. The ignorant are not sceptical. On the contrary they are extremely credulous. From what class do quacks of all sorts and descriptions gain their dupes and their converts? Who are ready to believe all the wonderful things they hear without question? What class of the community are most superstitious? The answer to these questions is: Certainly the ignorant. The ignorant do not know enough to doubt. A man must have knowledge, and a considerable amount of knowledge too, before he is intelligent enough to doubt. Children and savages are not sceptics. Why? Because they don't know enough to doubt; they have not sufficient discernment to see the improbabilty of what is told them for truth. On the other hand we find the greatest number of doubters among those who know the most. The habit of asking a reason for everything which they are required to believe makes them difficult to be convinced, and the education which teaches them to accept nothing as true for which sound evidence cannot be adduced compels them to reject many theories and systems which people who know less and whose minds have been less severely trained, accept as unimpeachably true. Whatever else the leading sceptics of the world can be accused of, it is not ignorance. They are all men of extensive knowledge, and of singularly acute minds. And they are representative men. The age we live is a sceptical age. Every teacher in these days is required to give a reason for the faith that is in him. If he cannot he will seek in vain among the educated and intelligent for disciples. He may impose upon the ignorant and the unthinking, but he will be held in contempt by those who know enough to doubt. Spritualism, like history, science and religion, must submit to be enquired into, and must respect the doubts and objections of the sceptics. It must prove to men capable of judging that its objects are good and that it is based upon facts that do not admit of a doubt. As long as its teachers and advocates cast reproach upon scepticism, and treat the doubter as if he were an enemy or an offender, so long will thinking men believe that they are afraid of enquiry. We, with all due deference, think that our warning to those who may come in contact with spiritualists, and who are inclined to inquire into the truth of spiritualism was timely and necessary; and more than that, we believe that all honest spiritualists who love the truth, and who hate and despise fraud and humbug should second our efforts to put the public on their guard against spiritualistic imposture. Spiritualists do not, we presume, act upon the axiom, "the end justifies the means." They do not want to cheat people into believing in their principles and manifestations. The Fox women who have deceived so many have confessed themselves to be impostors. They have produced in public the phenomena which induced thousands to believe that they had intercourse with the spirit world. This confession and exposure should be a warning to all who are inclined to be impressed by the mysteries and the wonders of spiritualism. Such exposures should make enquirers cautious and sceptical. If two such mediums as these were cheats, and if they succeeded in deceiving many who were considered intelligent and vigilant, there is at least a possibility that other mediums are equally dishonest and that the manifestations that impress them so deeply are nothing more nor less than clever tricks. Such scepticism so far from being the result of ignorance is the fruit of knowledge, and common prudence dictates that the enquirer should pursue his investigations into the domain of spiritualism in a doubting spirit. He should try, and try severely, all the spirits. He should also have a wholesome distrust of the evidence of his senses and of his capacity to distinguish the false from the true, the genuine from the counterfeit. The spiritualist who is convinced of the truth of what he believes should be the last man in the community to find fault with the enquirer assuming this attitude. He should do all he can to help him to come to a rational conclusion. We were surprised to see in the accounts that we read of the voluntary exposure made by the Fox sisters that the spiritualists present exhibited signs of violent anger. What was there to be angry at? They may have been grieved that the confession made by these women would throw discredit on their religion—if it is a religion—but they should be rather pleased than otherwise that their body had been purged of two such bold and successful impostors. The anger of the spiritualists was not calculated to diminish the doubts of the doubters, but rather to increase them. With regard to Spiritualism itself we have nothing to say one way or the other. It may be true or it may be false. But until a man is rationally convinced as to its truth or error, we still think that it is best and most sensible for him to regard it with prudent scepticism.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION.

We see that the Baptists of Ontario have determined to convert their Woodstock College into a technical school. This determination on the part of that denomination is much to be commended. It is well to have one school in Canada in which the boys will be educated with a view to the work they will have to do in after life. In nearly all the schools of the country, high and elementary, great pains are taken and much money is spent to unfit the pupils for the work by which the great majority of them must earn their bread. They are educated as if the world they are ostensibly preparing to take their place in is an immense college and that they will have nothing to do all their lives but to learn lessons, to hear lectures and to write essays. Books, books, nothing but books, are what the great majority have to do with during the whole of their attendance at school. The consequence is they come to have an extraordinary respect for what people call "learning" and a contempt for that practical knowledge which is necessary to enable them to make their way in the world. Another consequence is that lads come to look down upon manual labor—the labor by which the world is upheld—and to be ambitious to excel in employments in which skill of hand and strength of muscle are not required. We, therefore, see boys after they leave school eagerly crowding into offices, professional and mercantile, and only going into workshops and on farms when they they are compelled to do so by what is to them a dire necessity. As a result of our system of education we have overcrowded professions and a far greater than our proper share of second and third class workmen. Boys enter professions for which they have no natural capacity, and we have bad and indifferent lawyers, doctors, clergymen, schoolmasters, clerks, etc., who would have made good farmers and mechanics; and we have mechanics, taking no delight in their work and having no previous training for it, doing it in a careless, slovenly way without any ambition to excel. Manual training is calculated to cure this state of things. Its object, as a writer on technical schools says, is "the adaptation of school training to the presumable needs and wants of the individual rather than to his social requirements." The boys who attend this Woodstock College, unlike the boys who attend every other school in the country, will have to use their hands as well as their heads. Most of them in their occupations will need a trained eye and a knowledge of the materials on which men work in their several employments. It is proposed therefore to teach the boys, in addition to their literary work, to use tools, to draw, and to do mechanical work. The course of study is to extend over four years. Their instruction is to embrace, among other things, drawing, carpentry, wood-turning, carving, iron work and blacksmithing. The college is to be provided with workshops and laboratories properly equipped, and well-qualified instructors in mechanical arts are to be employed. The boys which this school will turn out will have a very great advantage over the lads who have been taught in the ordinary schools. They will not be behind them in their literary studies, for it has been found that spending part of each day in a workshop is far from dulling a boy's intellect, sharpens it, and he can make a better use of the hours devoted to study than the lad who keeps moping over his books after his brain is weary and when his body is out of order for want of exercise. He will then be as fit for any purely intellectual occupation as his contemporaries, and when he goes into a workshop he, being at home, as it were, will outstrip the ordinary school boy, and soon come to be first his foreman and then his master. The class of educated workmen, such as technical schools will turn out, take the foremost places. Their superior skill and cultivated taste are soon seen in their work, and have a tendency to raise its character in the market. Canada in these days has keen competitors to contend with. There are schools for workmen now in all parts of the world. They are producing excellent work, and if Canada does not use the peoper means to keep her workman up to the mark she will be nowhere in the industrial race. Not the least beneficial result which colleges like that of Woodstock are calculated to produce is taking from mechanical occupations the reproach under which they in some places and in the estimation of some people most undeservedly lie. The boy who has been taught to use tools and to take a pride in the skill he has acquired will look forward to earning his living by the labor of his hands with pleasure and pride. He will feel that there is a dignity in labor and no false notions of gentility or respectability will prevent his engaging in an honorable occupation for which he has been educated and for which he knows he is specially qualified. The feeling by which he is actuated will in time extend to his relatives and acquaintances and labor, manual labor, will through the influence of technical schools soon be appreciated, even by society, at its true worth. We see the Government intends to establish industrial schools for the Indians of the Province. It seems to be a pity that the only sensible and practical system of education should be confined to the Indians. Why not establish schools like this Woodstock college for the white inhabitants of British Columbia? They need them badly.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE Northwest Council met on Wednesday last. It was opened by a speech from the Lieut.-Governor. This speech differed in many respects from the ordinary speeches from the Throne. It was not prepared for the Governor by his ministers. He has no ministers. It was his own utterance. He and no one else was responsible for the sentiments and views it contained. But there was nothing startling in Governor Royal's speech. It was sensible and practical. He recommended the consolidation of the ordinances of the province, and urged upon the Assembly the enactment of some measure that would have the effect of lessening the danger from prairie fires. These fires have done much mischief in the Territories, and have the effect of injuring the soil they pass over. He said that the Mounted Police deserved the thanks of the representatives of the settlers for the part they had hitherto taken in enforcing the ordinances with respect to these fires. The most important paragraph in his speech related to the traffic in intoxicating liquors. He was cautious in the expression of his views and tried to impress upon the Assembly the impossibility of making mem sober by legislative enactment. As prohibition has obtained in the Territories ever since their establishment the fact that some change is required by public opinion there shows that it has not worked satisfactorily. It is notorious that prohibition in the Territories has not prohibited. Whether a more stringent law would be more effective it is difficult to say. What many of the inhabitants want is a High License Law. What power the Assembly has in the matter does not appear very clearly. Governor Royal closes what he says on this subject as follows: "I shall be happy to transmit to the Honorable the Privy Council at Ottawa any resolution or representation with respect to the temperance question which you may think fit to pass and which will, I have no doubt, receive at the hands of the Dominion Government all due consideration. Dr. H. C. Wilson was elected Speaker of the Assembly which consists of twenty-six members.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Massett Island, situated in Massett Inlet, containing 100 acres more or less.
Aug. 23, 1888. oc30 C. HARRISON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land at Massett, Graham's Island, commencing at Mackay's Post, thence north 20 chains, east 80 chains, south 20 chains, thence meandering the shore to place of commencement. Said land is fit for pastoral purposes only. C. HARRISON.
August 27th, 1888. oc30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land at Massett Spit, Graham Island, described as follows: commencing at a post marked C, thence north 120 chains, east 40 chains, south 120 chains, thence meandering the shore to place of commencement. Said land is fit for pastoral purposes only.
Oct. 21st, 1888. CHARLES HARRISON.
oc30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land at Virago Sound, Queen Charlotte's Islands, commencing at a stake marked A, thence north 40 chains, east 40 chains, south 40 chains, west 40 chains. Said land is fit for pastoral purposes only.
Oct. 21st, 1888. C. HARRISON.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following described Shares in the Capital Stock of the above named Company have been forfeited, according to law, by reason of non-payment of calls, and that the certificates therefor have been and now remain cancelled, namely: Certificate No. 32, James F. Gerald, 10 shares, Nos. 1036 to 1045, inclusive; Certificate No. 35, W. C. Mayes, 100 shares, Nos. 1100 to 1199; Certificate No. 44, George Pope, 5 shares, Nos. 1395 to 1399; and Certificate No. 110, Thomas Scott, 4 shares, Nos. 1076 to 1079.

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GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Victoria, 11th October, 1888. oc13-1w

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I have this day disposed of the stock and good-will of my business to my son W. A. McLEAN and JAMES STEWART, and take this opportunity of thanking the public for their kind patronage so liberally extended to me during my 25 years' experience in business, and trust you will extend the same to my successors.

Yours, respectfully, A. McLEAN.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY DISposed of the furniture, stock and good-will of the Clarence Hotel to Mr. W. C. Anderson. Thanking the general public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me, I bespeak for my successor a continuance of the same.

F. G. RICHARDS, JR.

All persons having claims against the undersigned are requested to send a statement of same to me on or before the 1st November.

F. G. RICHARDS, JR.

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oct21-1w W. C. ANDERSON.

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JAMES C. PREVOST,
Receiver.
October 29, 1888. nov3-td

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To the Electors of the Cariboo-Lillooet District:

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S. A. ROGERS.

Barkerville, Oct. 19th, 1888. oct21-d&w

COMMONS CANDIDATE

We are authorized to say that Robt. McLeese, M. P. P., is the Conservative Candidate for the Cariboo-Lillooet Seat in the pending election for the Commons, Ottawa.

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NOTICE.

THE HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATIONS OF the Medical Council of British Columbia will take place in the City of Vancouver, on Tuesday, the Sixth day of November next.

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A PLAGUE FROM THE EAST.

LEPROSY SAID TO BE NOT UNCOMMON AMONG CHINESE HERE.

But Friends of the Patients Conceal Them from the Board of Health—Sad Story of a Young Californian Who Fell a Victim to the Disease.

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The recent discovery of a Chinese leper, named Sam Ling, over in Newark, and the consequent local excitement thereupon have had quite a marked effect in re-awakening New Yorkers to a consciousness that there is a vast deal of this horrible disease wherever there are Chinamen, and that New York has a large Chinese population. Out of prudent consideration for the prejudices of white people, who generally believe the disease infectious—an opinion not shared by the Chinese—our Mongolian neighbors generally take very good care to hide away their lepers.

Only a few weeks since, an American physician here, learning from a Chinese convert where there was a leper in a far advanced stage of the disease, sought to view the case for the purpose of making a study of it. He found the house, on Mott street, where the man was secreted, but was met on the stairs by a couple of Chinamen who made him understand by signs that they would chop his head with a couple of very ugly looking hatchets that they brandished if he persisted in trying to penetrate any farther. He fled, but returned the next day, accompanied by a health officer armed with authority to search the house. It was too late, however. The leper had been spirited away during the night, and whether he is still kept somewhere in the swarming hive of Mott street, or was shipped off to Belleville or Newark, none but Chinamen know, and they will not tell.

Whether leprosy is really infectious or not, Californians—who have had more opportunities to study Chinese life than we of the East have enjoyed—think that it is, and certainly a good many white people have died of it on the Pacific Slope. I was perfectly cognizant of one such case that was painfully tragic. A young man, treasurer and general manager of a flourishing brewing company, in which he owned an interest, boarded where I did, on O'Farrell street. I do not think that I ever knew a more genial, generous, clever and popular young fellow than he was. One day he called me into his room and directed my attention to a singular spot on the right side of his neck, where the collar ordinarily covered it. It was about the size of a dime, round, and looked as if painted with zinc-white, or rather as if all color had been extracted from the tissues there. "Do you know what that is?" he asked me. I hesitated. While I believed that I knew—for I had already been examining leprosy considerably—it seemed too awful a thing to think that my handsome, talented, blithe young friend, whom we all liked so much for his manly worth, had upon him the ineffaceable brand of that most horrible doom. "I believe you suspect what it is, as I do," he went on, "but we will see how it progresses. We may both be wrong."

Some six weeks later he called me in again to look at the spot. It had grown to the bigness of a silver quarter. And another spot was showing. No doubt was possible. He was doomed. "I know when I caught it; three years ago," he remarked. We wasted no words discussing the situation, for we both knew that his condition was hopeless. He simply pressed my hand, saying, "Don't mention it to anybody." I said, "No." A few days passed, in which he seemed as light-hearted as ever. Meanwhile, as we afterward learned, he was quietly and systematically closing up all his business affairs. Then one night as we met in the hall he shook hands and said, "Good-bye." I understood him correctly, but could not, under the circumstances, disapprove of his purpose. He went out—and did not return. Two or three days elapsed. The landlady—a pretty little widow, as good as she was charming, to whom he was engaged to be married—was very anxious about him. At his place of business there was much wonderment over his disappearance. His friends, and he had many, were all exercised about him. The news reached us that away down in Santa Rosa, in a lonely place by the bank of a stream, had been found the body of a young man, handsome and well dressed, but without anything about him to give any clue to his identity. A bullet hole was through his head and a revolver, with one chamber empty, was still clutched in his right hand. It was our friend. He had put a stop to his leprosy, the only one possible—death.

JAMES H. CONNELLY.

PHOTOGRAPHIC TRICKS.

The Opinion of an Expert—An Indecent Picture of a Person Cannot Be Made without the Complicity of the Subject—Remarks on a Brooklyn Scandal.

Can composite photographs—i. e., made of different heads and bodies joined—be so produced that they will not show their patchwork quality? That is the question deeply exercising the families and friends of a large number of Brooklyn belles just at present, and, sympathetically or otherwise, many other people are interested in it. Among the glaringly and shockingly improper pictures recently seized by Comstock in possession of an amateur photographer named Brown, who made a business of vending such things, were numbers of the vilest character, in which the female faces presented were those of young ladies of previously unimpeached respectability, moving in Brooklyn's best society. They and their friends affirm that these pictures were made by the wicked photographer taking heads from decent portraits, fixing them upon pictures in lewd attitudes or simple nudities and then making negatives from these combinations. Brown has told contradictory stories about how they were produced or obtained and is not worthy of belief anyway. If the pictures were made up the work must have been very skillfully done, for in some of them, it is averred, the joining line is not visible, to the naked eye at least.

Mr. T. C. Roche, "the father of photography"—as he is known to photographers all over this country—being consulted upon the subject, said:

"It is possible to join heads and bodies in that way, so that the line is absolutely imperceptible only when a collar, necklace or something else is about the neck to conceal it. It is quite true that, where there is nothing of the sort, the negative made from the combination may be so very skillfully touched up as to hide the line from the unassisted eye of one who is not a professional, but the expert will detect it, even without a glass, and anybody with a strong glass will probably make it out. A photograph made in that way that I could not detect I would regard as little short of miraculous. You probably remember that not a long while since a rascal in London was sentenced to long imprisonment—12 or 15 years, I think—for making and vending obscene pictures, made in that way, with Mary Anderson's beautiful head upon them. It is not true, as has been stated by a certain New York paper, that the joining line of those pictures could not be distinguished and that Dr. Griffith—Mary's step-father—had to abandon the prosecution because it was impossible to prove that the pictures had been made in that way. The line was shown and the rascal was punished as he richly deserved to be. He had taken a large photographic portrait of the lady, which could be obtained in any quantity, and photographed it down to a size to suit the bodies he had on hand ready for combination.

"There are various ways for providing surprising results in photography, things that in one age would have been called magic but in ours recognized as scientific tricks. The ghost picture, for instance, in which a shadowy ghost—through which material objects are visible—is seen between natural attitudes and occupations. That is produced by an almost instantaneous exposure of the figure that is to do duty as the ghost, followed by a full exposure of the figures and properties that are to appear natural. Another novel trick was shown recently in a photograph reproduced by a prominent trade journal, which presented the photographer, seated at a table, playing chess with himself sitting on the opposite side of the table, while he, himself, stood up in the background looking at his two selves playing. The figures were all on the same negative, which was produced by three successive exposures of the plate, parts thereof being masked each time by a black velvet shutter. Still another trick is that by which a person who likes that sort of thing, may appear to be photographed riding upon a flying goose, or a fish, or any other desired style of ridiculous locomotion. This is done by the subject holding upon his lap a huge piece of white or sky-tinted card with the fanciful figure drawn upon it. His face appears above the upper edge of the card and seems, in the picture, joined to the funny little body mounted on the goose or fish. The statue picture is made by about the same device. But none of these, or any other ingenious trick yet invented will enable a rascal to make an indecent picture of a girl without her complicity, so that its fraudulent character cannot be detected."

DAVID WECHSLER.

A PLACE OF THE DEAD.

The New York Morgue—A Grim and Ghastly Subject for Artist and Author.

"He was found in the East River."

"How did he get there?"

"Who knows?" said the keeper of the morgue, shaking his head as he turned away from the unfortunate piece of clay that had been the subject of our conversation.

The question that has no answer could be spoken over many a pine box with its grewsome contents lying in the city morgue. There will probably never be an answer in the case alluded to, for the body bore no marks by which it could be identified, and the tide may have carried it a strange journey to the spot where it was found. The owner had been a poor man, to judge by appearances, and, very likely, finding himself without work, he went down to the river, and from there he will go to the Potter's Field by way of the morgue and that will be the end.

Christmas time is generally prolific in suicides, for then the man without a home and the woman who dares not return to the home that waits for her find the contrast sharper. The cold, too, increases, and a long winter stares the unfortunate in the face. So the temporary resting place for the unclaimed dead receives many of such at the Christmas season. Accidental deaths, especially drowning, are far more common in summer. The fruitful cause is liquor. The inebriate goes to the pier, falls asleep on its edge, rolls off, and the river overwhelms him before he can regain his senses.

The morgue itself is a rectangular structure built over the water in the fashion of a bathhouse. It is at the east end of Twenty-sixth street, and behind it are the extensive buildings of the Bellevue Hospital. All the unclaimed dead of the city go to this morgue, whether they die in the hospitals, upon the streets, in the parks or in one of the two rivers that run down on the east and west. About 7,000 is the number per year, and a good proportion of them are entered in the list of "drowned." A human being may come to his death by drowning in more ways than one, as the *First Grave Digger* in "Hamlet" takes some pains to explain, and of those who come to the morgue it is hard to say whether they sought death or were betrayed to it by accident or a crime. They are found by the harbor police or by some boatman, and in a considerable proportion of cases that is all that is ever known. The mystery which surrounds these deaths becomes doubly interesting when one reflects that the two rivers do not always render a just account. The ocean takes takes many a body and leaves no room. The number of deaths from drowning that are never explained, certainly that remain absolutely unknown, must be a startling sum.

New York has no particular "jumping off place," or spots to which suicides regularly go. Each of the piers comes in for its share; the Battery has its patronage, and the lakes of Central Park receive a few.

Poker As a Cure for Dumbness.

There was a man confined in one of the asylums near New York who for several years had refused to speak. Cards are allowed in this asylum, and on the evening in question, in connection with another patient and two attendants, a game of draw poker was indulged in. As the game proceeded, the patient became more and more excited. At last on one of the hands the betting became so spirited that one attendant and the other patient drew out. The dumb man and his opponent raised each other's bet, until almost all the chips were exhausted, when the attendant calling his opponent threw down four kings and proceeded to rake in the pot. The dumb patient had by this time become so excited that he jumped to his feet and grabbing the chips yelled to his attendant, "Hold on, you d— fool, I have four aces." It is needless to add that the game had the desired effect, and the patient has continued to use his tongue ever since.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown,—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channels is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a line of railway from the City of Victoria, British Columbia, to some point or points at or near Shoal Harbor and Swartz Bay, North Saanich, Vancouver Island, and of extending the said railway by ferry communications from the said points to all or any of the following points on the mainland of British Columbia, viz.: to some point or place at or near Garry Point, Lulu Island, as well as to some other point on the south side of Fraser River at or near Canoe Pass, and to some other point at or near Point Roberts; and also of constructing, maintaining and operating one or more lines of railway from any or all of the aforesaid points on the said mainland to the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster, and to the International boundary line so as to connect with the Canadian Pacific Railway or with any branches thereof, and with the railway system of the United States, with the usual powers to build, own and operate a telegraph or telephone line or both in connection with the above mentioned lines and ferry, and all necessary bridges and ferries, and to build, own and operate steam and other vessels, and to take and acquire lands for the right of way, station grounds and other necessities, and to acquire lands and other bonuses or aids from the Government of the Dominion of Canada or any Local Government or municipality, corporation or person, to assist in the construction of the said railway and ferries, and to make traffic and other arrangements with other railway or other companies, and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.

YATES & JAY,
oc19-6w Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication will be made at the next session of the Parliament of Canada for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a line of railway from the City of Victoria, British Columbia, to some point or points at or near Shoal Harbour and Swartz Bay, North Saanich, Vancouver Island, and of extending the said railway by ferry communications from the said points to all or any of the following points on the mainland of British Columbia, viz.: To some point or place at or near Garry Point, Lulu Island, as well as to some other point on the south side of Fraser River, at or near Canoe Pass and to some other point at or near Point Roberts; and also of constructing, maintaining and operating one or more lines of railway from any or all of the aforesaid points on the said mainland to the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster and to the International boundary line so as to connect with the Canadian Pacific Railway or with any branches thereof, and with the railway system of the United States, with the usual powers to build, own and operate a telegraph or telephone line or both in connection with the above mentioned lines and ferry, and all necessary bridges and ferries, and to build, own and operate steam and other vessels, and to take and acquire lands for the right of way, station grounds and other necessities, and to acquire lands or other bonuses or aids from the Government of the Dominion of Canada or any Local Government or municipality, corporation or person, to assist in the construction of the said railway, and ferries, and to make traffic and other arrangements with other railway or other companies, and for all other usual and necessary powers, rights and privileges.

YATES & JAY,
oc19-2mo Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned lands in the Coast District, and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-west corner of Lot 3, Range 5, Coast District, and running thence due south a distance of 40 chains; thence due west a distance of fifty-two chains and thirty-six links (52.36 chains), more or less, to the shore line; thence following the shore to a point due west of the south-west corner of Section 3; and thence due east to the point of commencement, and containing about 160 acres.

R. H. HALL.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 20th, 1888. se21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all persons claiming to be creditors of the estate of GEORGE HERBERT RASHDALE and GEORGE RICHARD LAWES (trading as the Columbia Milling Company) are required to send full particulars of their claims to Messrs. Eberts & Taylor, Solicitors, Langley street, Victoria, B. C., on or before Wednesday the 24th day of October, 1888, when the trustees will proceed to distribute the moneys in their hands ratably among those creditors only who then may have proved their claims. Dated the 21st day of September, 1888.

JOHN NICHOLLES,
ALFRED CORNELIUS FLUMERFELT,
Trustees of the Assignment for the benefit of Creditors,
sep22-1m Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 Acres of Land, situated on the south-east end of Smith Island, entrance to Skeena River, commencing at a post (bearing notice) marked C H—S E; thence west 40 chains; thence southerly following shore of Island to point of commencement.

Port Essington, GUST. HOLMES.
Aug. 10th, 1888. aug19

NOTICE.—I HAVE PURCHASED THE Scavenger business lately carried on by Smilow and Dougherty. All orders may be left at J. C. Devlin's, Yates street; J. Finlayson's, Government street; or at G. Doughty's, Fort st. All orders promptly executed at the lowest possible price. aug24-tf J. DOUGHERTY.

NOTICE.—I, THE UNDERSIGNED, SING Kee, have purchased from the firm of Kwong Chung & Co. all their opium cooking plant and the building used in the manufacture of opium, situate at the rear of the brick building occupied by Kwong Chung & Co. on Cormorant street, Victoria, and in future the business of opium cooking will be carried on by the undersigned for his own account.—SING KEE.
Victoria, 1st October, 1888. oc1-1mo

NOTICE.

ALEXANDER McLEAN, DECEASED.

ALL DEBTS DUE TO THIS ESTATE ARE to be paid to William McLean, at the Scotch House, Fort street, who is authorized to receipt for the same; and all claims against the estate are to be sent in to the undersigned forthwith.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc9-1m Solicitors for the Executors.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the late Thomas Elwyn are requested to send particulars (properly certified) to the executors; and all persons indebted to the estate will please pay the amounts due forthwith.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
HAMILTON MOFFATT, } Executors.
sep25-6mo

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alexander Allan, deceased.

All persons indebted to the Estate of the said deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith; and all persons having claims against the said Estate are requested to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of November, 1888.

YATES & JAY,
Victoria, B.C., Solicitors for the Executrix.
13th October, 1888. oc14-1m

ROBERT MONTGOMERY REID,

DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIM against the Estate of the above named deceased are requested to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of November next. Any one indebted to the Estate will please settle forthwith.

Dated 24th October, 1888.

DAVIE & POOLEY,
oc25-1m Solicitors for the Administratrix.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of certain Lands situated in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Island District, described as follows:—Commencing at a point on east shore of Rose Spit, Graham Island, and running thence west forty (40) chains more or less, thence north two hundred and forty (240) chains, and thence east to the shore line, and thence along the shore line in a southerly direction to the point of commencement, containing in all about one thousand (1000) acres.

R. H. HALL,
J. M. L. ALEXANDER,
By their Agent, D. R. HARRIS.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 26th, 1888. oc27-2m-d

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL HIS Valuable Farm of 229 Acres, located on the Chemainus River, and the best locality on the Island for wild fowl. Apply on the premises.

JAMES HABART,
je23-d&w-3mo Chemainus.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FROM and after date hereof I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Eliza Margotitch, late Mrs. Luckey.

Victoria, B. C., JOHN MARGOTITCH.
Oct. 9th, 1888. oc23-1w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate on south bank of Skeena River, to the southward of Point Lambert and opposite the entrance of passage to Inverness, commencing at a post bearing notice marked B. Y. S. W.; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to post marked B. Y. N. W.; thence southerly following line of shore to place of beginning.

Port Essington, B. YOUNG.
August 15, 1888. aug28

TENDERS.

Tenders for Coal & Wood.

SEALED TENDERS, ENDORSED "TENDER for Fuel," will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Saturday, 3rd November, for supplying the Government Buildings, and Government House, with fuel.

Tenders must state the name and quality of the coal proposed to be supplied, and the price per ton of 2,000 lbs.; and the price per cord of dry pine wood, cut in 12-inch lengths; to be delivered promptly in such quantities, and at such times, as may be ordered.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 25th October, 1888. oc26

Estate of Hamilton & Ogden, Bridge Creek.

TENDERS FOR THE ESTATE OF HAMILton & Ogden, at Bridge Creek, comprising Lands, Buildings, Horses, Cattle, Trade Goods, Book Debts, &c., are invited by the undersigned up to the 15th November next.

Tenders for the entire Estate, or for any portion thereof, may be made, but the Assignees do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON,
WILLIAM DALBY, } Assignees.
Victoria, 24th October, 1888.

Persons having claims against the Estate of Hamilton & Ogden, Bridge Creek, are requested to send statements thereof, in detail, to the undersigned, on or before the 10th November next.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON,
WILLIAM DALBY, } Assignees.
Victoria, 24th October, 1888. oc25-3w

NOTICE.

THURSDAY, the 15th instant, having been set apart and appointed by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council as a day of General Thanksgiving throughout the Dominion, the Public Offices will be closed on that day.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
1st November, 1888. nov2-1w

[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, etc., etc., etc.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Cariboo:

WHEREAS a vacancy has happened in the Legislative Assembly by the resignation of Robert McLeese, Esquire, a member for the Electoral District of Cariboo, We command you that, notice of the time and place of election being duly given, you do cause election to be made according to law, of one member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Cariboo, and that you do cause the nomination of candidates at such election to be held on the day of next, and do cause the name of such member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the sixteenth day of January, 1889, the election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal, duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable HUGH NELSON, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the twenty-sixth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

By Command,
JAMES C. PREVOST,
nov2-2w Registrar of the Supreme Court.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

30th October, 1888.

ASA ACKERMAN and WILLIAM FADDEN, Esquires, of Sumas, to be Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Westminster, Province of British Columbia.

1st November, 1888.

CHARLES GARDINER JOHNSON, of Vancouver, Esquire, to be a District Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages, for Burrard Inlet District, under the "Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872;" and a Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872;" and a Collector of Votes for the Burrard Inlet Polling Division of the Electoral District of New Westminster; and a Deputy Registrar of the County Court of New Westminster, holden at Vancouver, *vice* Alexander Ogilvie Leask, Esquire.

EDWIN JOHNSON, Esquire, Q. C., of Victoria, to be a Court of Revision and Appeal, in respect of the Assessment of property in the District of New Westminster, under the "Assesment Act, 1888."

JACOB HUNTER TODD, of Victoria, Esquire, J. P., to be a Selector of Jurors for Victoria District, under the "Jurors' Act, 1883," *vice* Alexander McLean, deceased.

GILBERT ROBINSON, of Quamichan, Esquire, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Electoral District of Cowichan, to be a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Victoria, Province of British Columbia. nov2-1t

NOTICE.

Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars Reward.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a reward of $250 will be paid by the Provincial Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the persons guilty of setting fire to the barn of Mr. John Russell, of Strawberry Vale Farm, on the night of the 2nd instant.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, 6th Sept, 1888. sep7-1m

NOTICE

CENTRAL COAL YARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Coal business carried on at this Yard has been discontinued from this date.

Victoria, B. C., 19th Oct., 1888. oct20

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oc17-2mo G. A. PERRIN, Secretary.

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Time Table No. 9, Takes Effect Nov'r 1st, 1887

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VICTORIA TO—

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Daily, except Monday at 3 o'clock.

VANCOUVER TO VICTORIA,
Daily, except Monday, at 13:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. train.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE,

LEAVE VICTORIA—

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND,
Tuesday at 9 o'clock; Thursday and Sunday at 7 o clock.

PLUMPER PASS,
Sunday at 7 o'clock.

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Monday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

FOR PLUMPER PASS,
Monday, at 13 o'clock.

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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
March 17th, jy25

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 8,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Monday, October 1st, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

| GOING SOUTH. READ UP. | | |

The Colonist.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1888.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. NORTH PACIFIC, from Port Townsend. Abbott Opera Co, W E Hall and wife, J Smith, A Blackstreet, R Walker, F Moyer, C Shubert, Mrs Hodgson and dtr, J McCullough and wife, E Atlem, P Johnson, E H McEachern, Miss Waldron, J Leary, J Ralstorm, G H Gibson, P Crist, A R Johnson, Mrs Sidwell and dtr, R McIntyre, H E Wynds, G Ruthford, R Winstanley F H Anderson, C G McKendrick, G W Arthur, A E McEachern, G Ott, L Samner, C Griswold, J Farman, J F Hopper, L Lippsett, J McClure, C F Swift, J Sheffield, C D'Laverity, J Grubbs, W Burton, G Shubert, Mrs Smith and dtr, T Jones, E H Burgess, O Foss, O Alison, J Nichols, K G Payne, L Wethingham, N B Markham, S S Roberts, H O Philpsett.

Per Str PRINCESS LOUISE, from Westminster. Mrs Milne, Miss M Whiteside, Mr Dobbins, H T Greenlees, H Lancier, Miss S Wheeside, C S Ryder, U Nelson, A Benoit, T A Williams, H Lang, J Fairfield, E Gessard, Major Young, H M Arnold, J Arnold, Lieut. Richardson, Capt Thompson, W H Bell, C R King, Anderson, W Butman, M Bussaneich, G List, M M English.

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Notice.

The Gas Company wish to draw the attention of the public to the reduced cost of gas—$2 PER THOUSAND, at which price an ordinary burner consuming 5 feet per hour will average ONE CENT AN HOUR. Service pipes within forty feet of the mains FREE OF CHARGE. Coke for sale at 50c. a barrel at the works, lower Government street. *

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Trade Sale.

J. P. Davies & Co. will sell at their salerooms, Wharf street, at 11 o'clock today, clothing, dry goods, boots and shoes, etc., to close balances.

Clearing Off a Church Debt.

A special collection was taken up in the Pandora street Methodist Church on Sunday for the purpose of clearing off a portion of the debt upon the church. The congregation responded liberally, the collection amounting to the sum of $4,200.

Vancouver's Youthful Burglars.

The four boys at Vancouver, charged with larceny, have been sentenced to one month's imprisonment in the city lock-up apart from other prisoners, during which period they are to be twice whipped by their fathers under the supervision of the chief of police.

Presbyterian Church Entertainment.

The Y.P.L.A. of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will hold the second of their series of popular and entertaining concerts in Philharmonic Hall on Monday evening next, Nov. 12th, when English character will be illustrated in song and story.

Baptist Church at Vancouver.

The first sod for the new Baptist church to be erected at Vancouver was turned on Saturday last by the pastor, Rev. James B. Kennedy, and Rev. Mr. Pedley. The latter led in prayer, after which the former used the spade. The new church is to be situated at the corner of Hamilton and Dunsmuir streets.

Gospel Temperance.

Mr. Geo. Woodford of Chicago, will lecture in the Pandora street Methodist church this and to-morrow evenings, commencing at 8 o'clock. Song service at 7:40. Mr. Woodford is highly spoken of as a lecturer, an Oakland, Cal., paper saying, "his fine word painting upon the horrors of drink and upon the home destruction caused by it, held his audience under complete enthrallment."

Cedar Hill Entertainment.

The Cedar Hill people are making elaborate preparations for the proposed entertainment on Friday evening next under the auspices of the lodge I.O.G.T. The programme promises to surpass all previous efforts. Excellent music has been secured for the dancing, which is to follow the musical and literary programme. A 'bus will leave Bowman's stables at 7:15, charging the very modest sum of 25 cts. for the round trip.

Provincial Museum.

Contributors for the month of October: Victoria—Supt. Roycraft, P. Steele, John Kurtz, R. Maynard, C. P. Bloomfield, C. E. Perry, Chas. E. Spring, W. H. Sutton. Sooke—M. Muir. Mount Tolmie—Geo. H. Knight. Ashcroft—John Saul. Kamloops—John Paterson. Hastings—Geo. Black. Vancouver—H. Abbott. Metchosin—W. Fisher. Bella Coola—Prof. Jacobson. Moodyville—S. J. Randall, Illecillewaet—Mr. Tilton.

Fell Down a Hatchway.

Yesterday morning while Mr. M. Lopatecki, of the *Standard*, was walking along the main deck of the steamer Yosemite, he fell down an open coal hatch, which he had failed to see. The accident was witnessed by a couple of men who rescued Mr. Lopatecki in a fainting condition, but he soon recovered, the only injuries he received being an ugly bruise on the right leg and on the arm. The accident might have been much worse, and Mr. Lopatecki's friends will be pleased to know that his injuries will not prevent him attending to his usual duties.

Yesterday Morning's Fire.

About two o'clock yesterday morning the outbuildings owned by Mr. McKay of Lime Bay, were discovered to be in flames. The neighbors were quickly roused and hastened to the scene of the conflagration, but the fire had gained such headway that the utmost that could be done was to prevent it spreading. With the help of the Esquimalt water, supplied by the new works, this was done, but the outbuildings were entirely destroyed. The danger of the situation was aggravated by the close proximity of two powder magazines as, if the fire had spread, the consequences to life and property would have been disastrous.

Caught at Last.

Yesterday afternoon, Provincial Constable Miller and Dominion Officer Lewis noticed an Indian coming out of the little junk shop kept by "Joe." Phœnix on Chatham street, carrying two molasses cans. The cans looked suspicion, and, upon investigation, one was found to contain molasses and the other whiskey, plain and unmistakably an "intoxicant." The Indian said that he had procured his forbidden luxuries from Phœnix, paying him $3 for the little can of bad whiskey. The seller was arrested and will answer for his misdeeds in the police court this morning. He was up a short time ago for cruelty to animals. He partially acknowledges selling the liquor by saying that he will go to jail, but will not pay a fine.

Big Dyking Scheme.

The Surrey and Delta farmers, of Westminster district, have held a meeting to discuss the Mud Bay dyking scheme. The proposed dyke will reclaim 30,000 acres of the finest muck lands on the coast. It was decided that the owners of all property which will be improved by the dyke should agree to an assessment of $2 per acre on their lands, which would amount to about $30,000. The dyke would reclaim to the Dominion government fully $30,000 worth of land, and as the cost of the work will be in the neighborhood of $70,000 there will be only $10,000 more to make up. It is proposed to ask the Dominion and Provincial governments to contribute an equal share of the cost of the work not covered by the above figures.

Expenses of Moody Meetings.

The following is a statement of the receipts and expenses in connection with the Moody meetings in this city:

RECEIPTS.

Collections	$697 96
Donations	110 00
Refund for lumber	10 96
Total	$818 80

EXPENSES.

Fitting up Rink	$410 00
Rent	175 00
Advertising and printing	34 95
Putting up stoves	16 75
Care taker	35 65
Electric light and gas	23 00
Choir expenses	39 00
Mr. Moody's hotel expenses	74 12
Drayage, telegrams, etc	27 50
Sundries	10 00
Total	$815 97
Balance to Y. M. C. A.	1 23

St. Ann's Convent Bazaar.

The annual bazaar in aid of the orphans of St. Ann's Convent will commence in Philharmonic Hall to-day. The doors will be opened to the public at noon, when a hot lunch will be served, and during the afternoon and evening refreshments will be obtainable by the visitors. For several months past the ladies of St. Andrew's R. C. congregation have been preparing for this fair, and the stock of plain and fancy goods which will be offered for sale will far exceed that of former years. Several articles of rare beauty and value will be disposed of. The bazaar will be continued two days, during which everyone should visit the hall at least once, and bestow his mite towards the support of the orphans. Admission only 25 cents.

W. C. T. U.

George Woodford, an eloquent and powerful platform orator, will deliver Gospel temperance lectures in the Methodist Church on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, commencing at 8 o'clock. Admission free. A collection will be taken up. 2t.

Election Returns.

Returns of the presidential election from all states in the Union will be received at the Royal Hotel, corner Fort and Douglas streets this evening. The victorious, as well as the disappointed ones, will find consolation in an excellent hot lunch provided by the proprietors.

Fire at Donald.

A despatch from Donald states that a fire broke out there at 11:30 on Friday night. The fire started in the kitchen of the Railway House, and communicated to Ferland's store adjoining. Both buildings were totally destroyed. Ferland's stock was saved, but badly damaged in the removal. The loss is about $7,000.

The Star and Planet Mine.

Mr. Geo. Henderson, of Nicola, reports satisfactory progress at the Star and Planet mines, taking out the ore, which is rapidly increasing in richness. The new stamp mill is working nicely, and in connection with two concentrators they are reducing 50 tons of rock and 10 tons of contentrates per week, all of which is shipped to San Francisco. The mine is one of the best paying in the province, considering the capital invested.—*Columbian.*

The Orange Ball.

The Loyal Orangemen of Victoria celebrated the two hundredth anniversary of the landing of Prince William of Orange, last evening by holding a grand social hop in Philharmonic Hall, under the direction of L. O. L., No. 1426. About fifty couples were in attendance, and with a good floor, good order and the best of music, provided by the well-known orchestra of "C" battery, the hop was a decided success of which the members of the order may well feel proud. The hall was brilliantly decorated with banners, etc., and presented a charming appearance, while the supper, served on the stage by the veteran caterer Mr. Russell, was in his usual excellent style. Sergeant Walker, of the city police, proved himself a prince of floor managers and the entire affair reflected credit on all concerned.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Mr. Moody commenced his meetings in Westminster yesterday.

Sixty-five young men attended the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Sunday.

Secure seats at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s for the "Rose of Castile," to be given by the Abbott Co. to-night.

The attention of intending buyers is directed to the furniture sale by Geo. Byrnes at 11 o'clock to-day on the premises, Chatham street, near Blanchard.

A requisition is being circulated in Vancouver asking Mayor Oppenheimer to stand for re-election as chief magistrate.

The members of the Loyal Orange Order in this city attended Divine service at the Gorge road Church on Sunday, where a special sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Wadman.

CITY POLICE COURT.

(Before Judge Richards.)

Monday is always a busy day in the police court. Yesterday was no exception to the general rule; the following cases were disposed of:

Mary, a Fort Rupert squaw, blushingly admitted that she had been under the influence of the ardent. She donated the usual $5 towards the support of the city.

Thomas, a Cowichan Indian, was upon the information of Provincial Police Constable Miller charged with being unlawfully possessed of intoxicating beverages. Thomas owned up and was fined $25, which his friends subsequently paid.

Another Indian named Tom, a Nitnat, was also charged with having liquor in his possession. Dominion Constable Lewis saw Tom with a bottle in his hands, and, before he could arrest him, the Indian broke the bottle, a small piece of which was found to contain gin. He was fined $25, and not having the money was sentenced to one months' imprisonment unless the fine was sooner paid.

Richard Claydon, who had been found by Sergeant Walker lying on the sidewalk in a state of paralyzed intoxication, was charged with creating a disturbance by being drunk. "I was guilty, your honor," said Richard, and he was fined the usual $5.

In default of the necessary he was consigned to the cells for one week.

Wm. Johnson was charged with breaking-in two doors of a house on Herald street, owned by Mr. A. K. Stronnach, and occupied by several Indian women.

The prisoner said he would rather plead guilty than go into the case; he acknowledged that he only destroyed one door, however.

The agent of the property deposed to receiving information of the doors being broken and stated that four doors of the same house were broken last week. People, he said, came to the house drunk and being refused admittance destroyed the property.

The magistrate thought that if the owners of the property let it to prostetutes they had themselves to blame if the property was destroyed. The prisoner was instructed to make good the damage, and was fined $1 without costs.

Wm. Grey, an elderly man living at Nanaimo, and pronounced of unsound mind, was further remanded, as it was supposed he could be sent home in a few days.

Richard Murray was charged with committing an aggravated assault upon Robert Mitchell. The case was proven and the prisoner sentenced to four months' imprisonment at hard labor.

The C. P. N. Co. were charged by John Courtney and eight other Vancouver longshoremen with refusing to pay their wages in full, for discharging the steamer Sardonyx at Port Moody. The men claimed that they found the work unusually hard and were promised 40 instead of 25 cents per hour in consequence. They were brought down on the steamer Sardonyx to Victoria.

Mr. Stewart appeared for the prosecution and Mr. Walls for the company.

The magistrate thought that the men should have been bound by their agreement to work for 25 cents an hour. He did not think they should be supported in claiming extra wages.

Mr. Walls, while denying the jurisdiction of the magistrate in the case, had a very reasonable proposition to make. The Sardonyx not being here now, the company would pay these men off at the rate of 25 cents per hour, pay their board bill here and send them home, leaving them to sue for the balance if they though fit. This settlement, Mr. Walls wished it understood, was not to prejudice the case if it should be again brought up, the proposition being made more out of charity than in justice by the company.

This proposition was accepted and the men left the court.

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to what extent it would be necessary for the defendants to call witnesses to disprove the charge.

The cross-examination was then continued.

Mr. Davie—What time in July did you have the conversation with Mr. Bales you referred to?

Witness—I can't tell exactly. I am willing to accept the statement that it was three months before the 3rd of October. I told Mr. Bales something like this: "It might be posible for these things to be explained away, Mr. Bales may have said that the false entries could not be explained away by any living man. Yet I saw the auditors convinced by Mr. Robinson that they were wrong in at least one $50 item. I don't know whether that $50 was a false entry or not. I do not know that there were any false entries yet. The $426 in the name of James Yates looks to me like a false entry, but I cannot yet say. The $50 item I referred to was a collection from Sam Clay. I don't know that there was any falsification of books in this case. I have not heard it proved yet. It occurred to me at the time that the figures might have been altered. That was not one of the reasons why I took no action. My principal reason was because the matter had been taken entirely out of my hands. I had no right to say anything. The matter was placed in the hands of the auditors and the finance committee. I did not say anything about the matter although some one else did. That was my principal reason. I thought the matter might be explained. I don't know the date that the matter was taken out of my hands by the council. The auditors were appointed some time early in the year. Mr. Penwill met the auditors and arranged with them. The matter was taken out of my hands by a resolution asking the finance committee to name auditors. The mayor was understood not to have anything to do with the matter. The council have no right to interfere with my functions and I know what my duties are pretty well.

Mr. Davie—The mayor's duties are defined by the law.

Mr. Mills—Not very clearly.

Mr. Davie read a section of the Municipality act defining the powers and duties of the Mayor.

The witness—I know that whole section off by heart. The council had the power to take the matter out of the hands of the Mayor. [He proceeded to read an extract from the city by-laws]. The Mayor can only act between sessions of the council to a certain extent, and not at all where the power has been taken out of his hands by the council.

His honor—I suppose there has been an antagonism between you and most of the members of the council?

Witness—I would not like to say that. We get along pretty well together. Of course there are—

Mr. Mills—There is generally a majority opposed to him.

Witness (continuing)—There is a by-law defining the duties of the council, the Mayor, and the clerk, to a certain extent. The power to act in this matter was taken out of my hands early in the year by a resolution of the council. I cannot tell the language of the resolution. It was asking the committee to consider the matter, confer and report, and bring in a resolution in regard to the amount of remuneration of the auditors and then the matter was left in their hands to be dealt with. They were to give the auditors the books that they required. I told the clerk to take a receipt for whatever books he gave them. That's the pith of the whole matter. By submitting it to the finance committee the council took the power out of my hands as Mayor. I have no right as an *ex-officio* member of the finance committee to report. That is the duty of the chairman of the committee. I said that the finance committee were made aware of the alleged irregularities before I was. I don't know when they were first told of them. The members of the finance committee and some of the members of the council who had no right to, knew of the suspected irregularities. I do not say the entire committee. I said members of the committee. I don't know which member of the committee it was that was informed of it before I was. I am not prepared to say which one or two members of the committee it was. Probably it was all the members except one that knew of the matter, and members of the council and certain members of the community that had information before either the committee or the council. I was told by a reliable man, Mr. Berridge, that they were running in and out all the time while the auditors were at work. He said members of the finance committee. The only positive knowledge I had that the finance committee knew of the position of affairs, was from Mr. Berridge's statement that they were running in and out all the time. I don't think I made a rash statement in saying what I did. I had only Mr. Berridge's word. Mr. Berridge told me that the shortages were shown to members of the finance committee before me. They were running in and out and were told of it by the auditors. It was my idea that the figures might have been altered by any one who had access to the books. Mr. Russell was cash-keeper for many years I believe. No one would have any object except him apparently in altering the books. I did not say I was Mr. Russell's friend. I said I was friendly. No more than under other circumstances I might be friendly to you. (This to Mr. Davie). I did not think it my duty as his friend to tell him of my suspicion that his books had been tampered with. I only asked Mr. Russell if he was sure his accounts were correct in every particular. He assured me on his word that he had nothing to fear from the re-examination of the books and anything that appeared irregular he could explain satisfactorily. At about the same time I went to Mr. Griffiths, the auditor, and asked him if he had checked the accounts closely. He told me that he had and that he would guarantee that there was nothing wrong about the books during the time that he had been auditor. I did not tell Mr. Russell that I had a suspicion some one must have been altering his books. I gave him no particulars in regard to what I had been told about the state of the books. I did not think it right to apprize—it would have been a violation of my duty. It would have been good notice for him to get out.

Mr. Davie—Don't you think you gave him sufficient notice by going to Vancouver after the report had been read in the council?

The witness and his counsel addressed the court on some foreign questions and the examination proceeded, the witness stating that the report came into his hands on Saturday afternoon. That was about the 22nd. The council met on the 26th. No action was taken on the report before it was read in council when I presided. I went over to Vancouver the morning after the report had been submitted to the finance committee for consideration with the city's legal advisers. The council had known several days before that I was going away.

To His Honor—The information was sworn out against Mr. Russell on Friday night, I think, by Sergt. Sheppard after the matter had been public talk for two days.

His Honor—Why could not the information have been sworn to and Russell arrested before he left the country.

Witness—That was my idea, exactly.

Mr. Davie—Then why did you go to Vancouver without doing it?

When I went to Vancouver I had seen the data of a few alleged shortages. The report of the auditors' should not have been presented without full particulars. The matter should not have been made public. I met Mr. Sargison and Mr. Raymur, and in reply to them told them I was not going to Vancouver until after the council met. I said to Mr. Sargison: "Don't you think your notes or a copy of them should have been presented with the report." The parties charged with irregularities could then have been given an opportunity to explain. I took no action in order to allow the auditors to send in their notes. I was aware of three or four items, not enough to act upon. I did not think what Mr. Bales told me was enough either. I wanted it in writing. On Friday night I got a telegram, at Vancouver, after the steamer left, after I could not get down here. I did not come down on Saturday. The telegram was signed unanimously by the council. All the powers I could possibly have, were vested in the council in my absence. My business was such that I was compelled to go to Vancouver. I went to New Westminster on Saturday and remained until Sunday night, and came down on Monday. I am not aware that since the defalcations were first pointed out to me further defalcations to the extent of $2,000 have taken place. In fact the corporation is from $1,200 to $1,400 better off since then. I am not aware that no books have been kept this year. That is not a correct statement. As I told you I have seen the books of the expenditure. The whole of the expenditure was worked up to the 30th of June. The balance of Mr. Grant's cross-examination brought out no new facts of interest and on its conclusion Mr. Mills, again examined him briefly before allowing him to leave the box. The minutes of the two special meetings held during the Mayor's absence were registered and placed in evidence.

The Mayor's evidence was then read, slightly amended and signed by him.

Before other witnesses were called his honor suggested that the case might be settled by the defendants making an apology without carrying it any further.

Thomas G. Wilson was then called. He deposed to residing on View street in this city, and to knowing Thomas Russell, the late city treasurer. Saw him in Seattle about the 5th or 6th of September. A day or so later he saw Mayor Grant and told him that he had seen Mr. Russell in Seattle.

Chief of Police Sheppard deposed to receiving a warrant for the arrest of Thomas Russell, which he had, as yet, been unable to execute.

This closed the evidence.

His honor—Well, Mr. Davie, I suggested a few moments ago how you might end the whole matter without going any farther.

Mr. Davie—The defendants are not anxious to go to the assize court. They have no wish to incur the loss of time and the expense that such a course would involve. There have been so many untruthful and improper things, however, said on the other side, that the apology should more properly come from them. The defendants have no malice against Mr. Grant. His public acts have been open to the severest criticism, and the letter of "Taxpayer" justly condemns his official acts. The publication has, however been misunderstood. It was not intended to, and does not insinuate, that the mayor was a partner in Russell's frauds. It censures Mr. Grant for concealing the frauds when pointed out by Mr. Bales.

Mr. Mills—I ask your honor that the case be sent for trial. I have no other instructions than to let the law take its course.

His Honor—I think I said that there was a *prima facie* case under which the defendants could be sent for trial.

Mr. Davie addressed his honor briefly, asking if he would hear witnesses for the defence to rebut the malice which the prosecution had endeavored to prove by the articles aside from the libel put in evidence.

The magistrate decided not to hear any further evidence and adjourned the case until this morning at 11 o'clock, when the evidence will be read over entire and the case sent up for trial.

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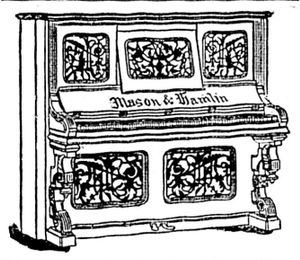

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